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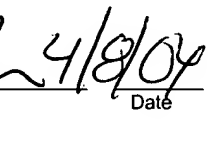
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In response to the Office action of 01/08/2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper as an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.